

# **FRESNO POLICE DEPARTMENT DEMOGRAPHIC DATA COLLECTION**



**Third Quarter 2005**  
**(July/August/September)**

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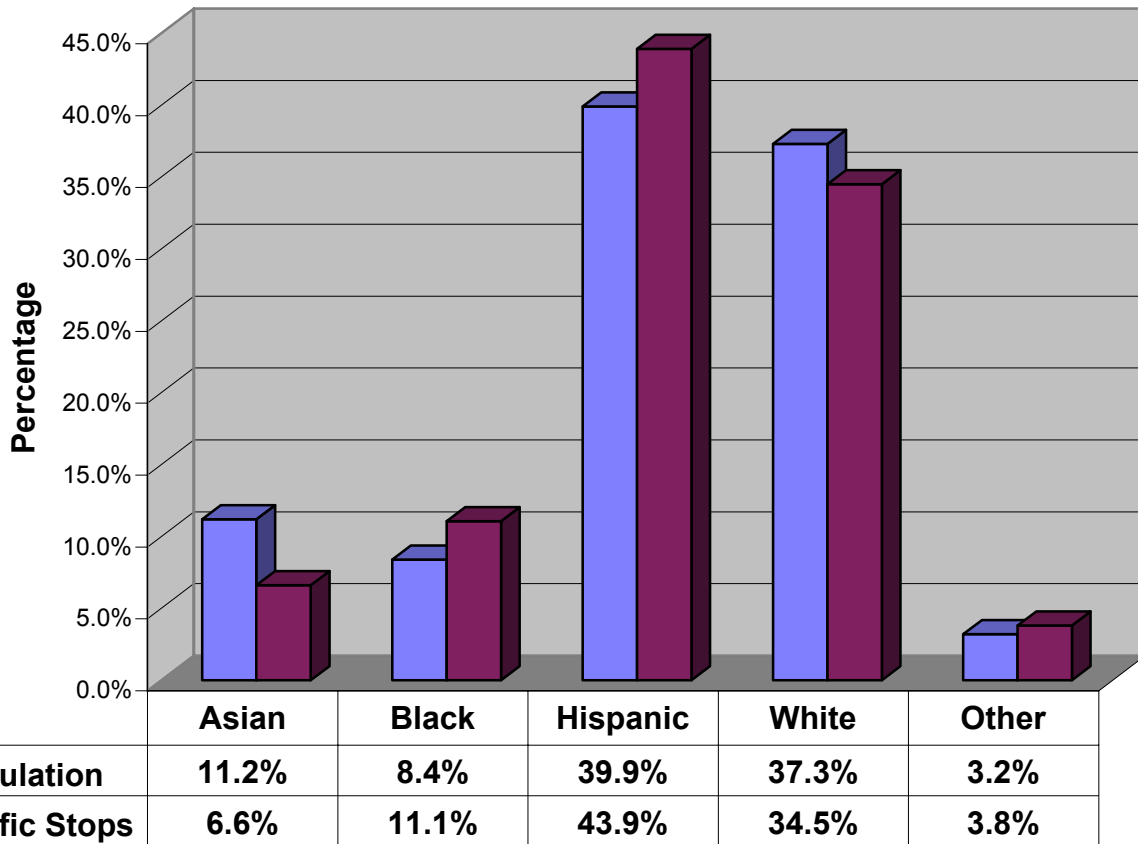
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### DATA ANALYSIS:

Census 2000 Population of Fresno  
(Incorporated City)  
Total Population – 427,652

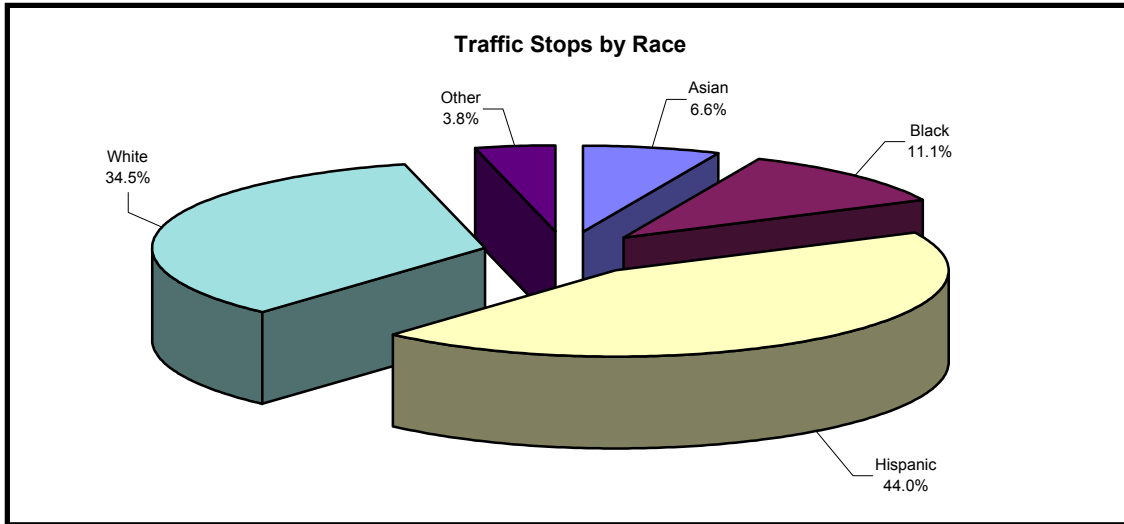
Census 2000 Data	RACE				
	Asian	Black	Hispanic/Mexican	White	Multi-Racial
Population	48,028	35,763	170,520	159,473	13,868
Percent of Population	11.2%	8.4%	39.9%	37.3%	3.2%

**% Population vs. % of Drivers Stopped by Race**



## TOTAL TRAFFIC STOPS THIRD QUARTER 2005 – 23,534

### TRAFFIC STOPS BY RACE



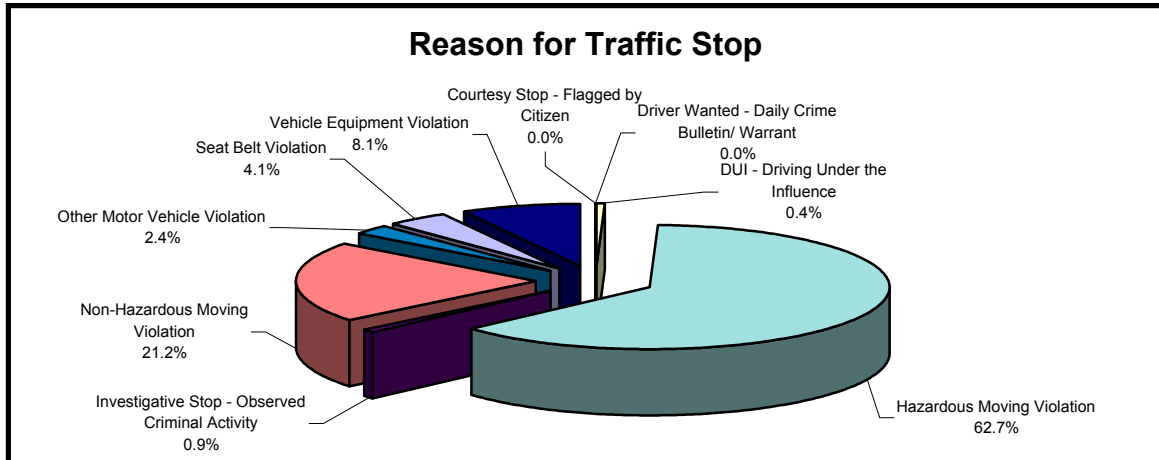
Order by Race:

Hispanic	-	44.0%
White	-	34.5%
Black	-	11.1%
Asian	-	6.6%
Other	-	3.8%

### TRAFFIC STOPS BY REASON FOR STOP

Reason for Stop	Asian	Black	Hispanic	White	Other	TOTAL
Courtesy Stop - Flagged by Citizen			2	4	1	7
Driver Wanted - Daily Crime Bulletin/ Warrant		2	2	5		9
DUI - Driving Under the Influence	3	7	69	22	1	102
Hazardous Moving Violation	977	1350	5865	5873	676	14741
Investigative Stop - Observed Criminal Activity	10	30	100	64	5	209
Non-Hazardous Moving Violation	310	803	2549	1233	100	4995
Other Motor Vehicle Violation	24	67	311	152	20	574
Seat Belt Violation	79	79	469	300	38	965
Vehicle Equipment Violation	151	266	965	465	57	1904

Of the 23,534 recorded traffic stops, 23,506 scantrons/electronic reports were received where both the reason for the stop and race indicator keys were properly marked.



### TRAFFIC STOP BY TYPE OF ACTION TAKEN

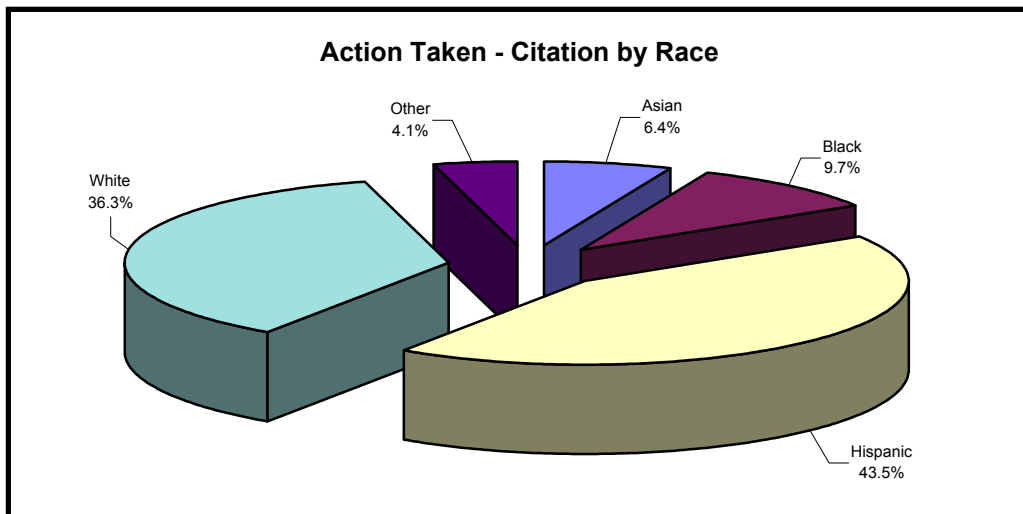
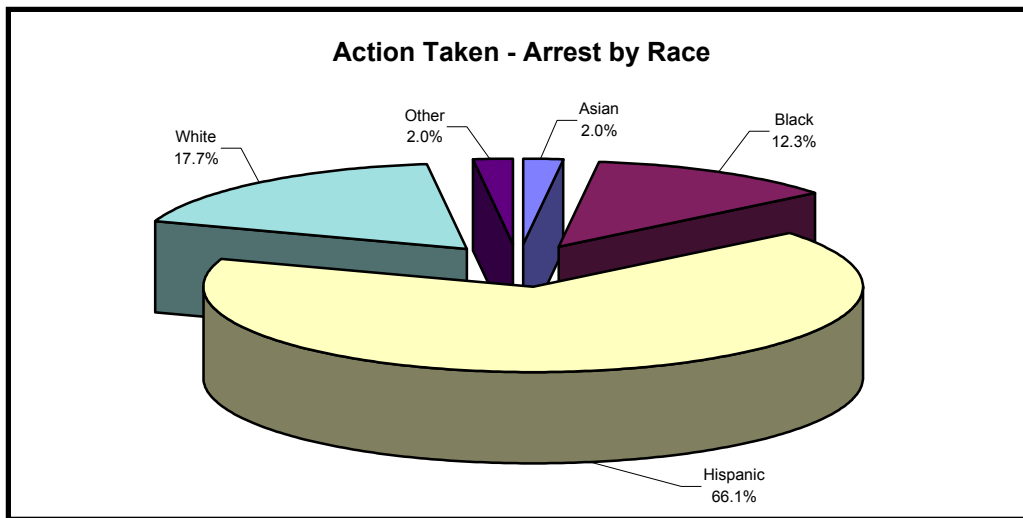
Reason for Stop	Arrest	Citation Issued	Citizen Assistance/ Courtesy	Field Interrogation Card	Warning Given	TOTAL
Courtesy Stop - Flagged by Citizen			2		5	7
Driver Wanted - Daily Crime Bulletin/ Warrant	5	2			2	9
DUI - Driving Under the Influence	22	79			1	102
Hazardous Moving Violation	156	13933	2		662	14753
Investigative Stop - Observed Criminal Activity	17	82	4	8	98	209
Non-Hazardous Moving Violation	151	2809	9	2	2028	4999
Other Motor Vehicle Violation	60	399	2	1	112	574
Seat Belt Violation	11	936			18	965
Vehicle Equipment Violation	36	1298	6	3	570	1913

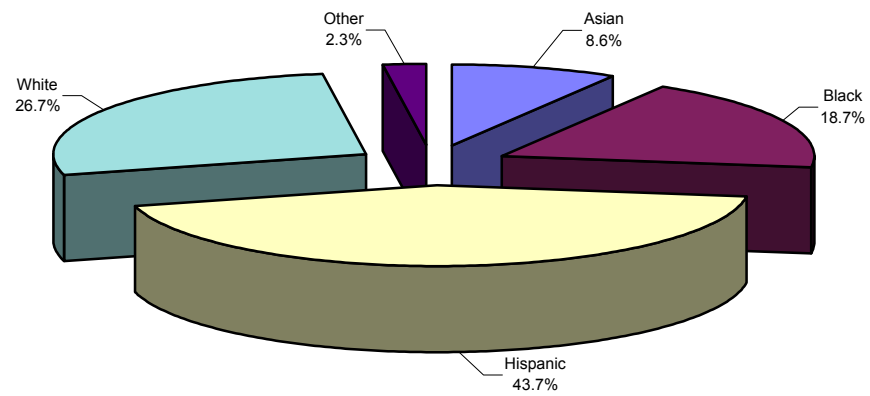
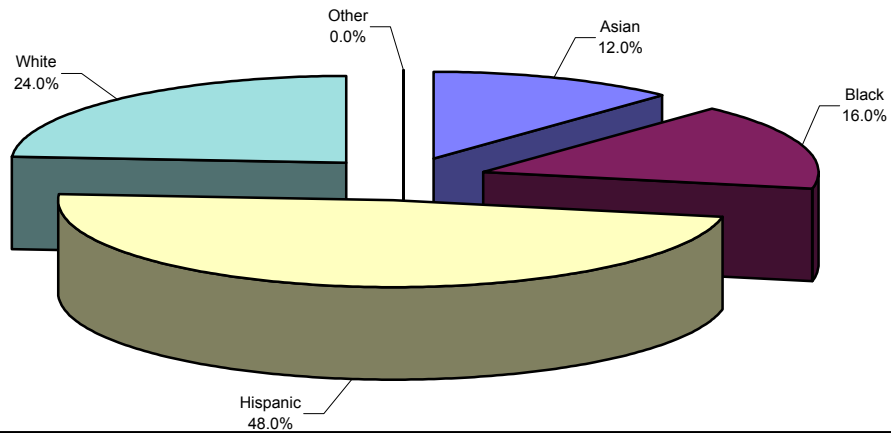
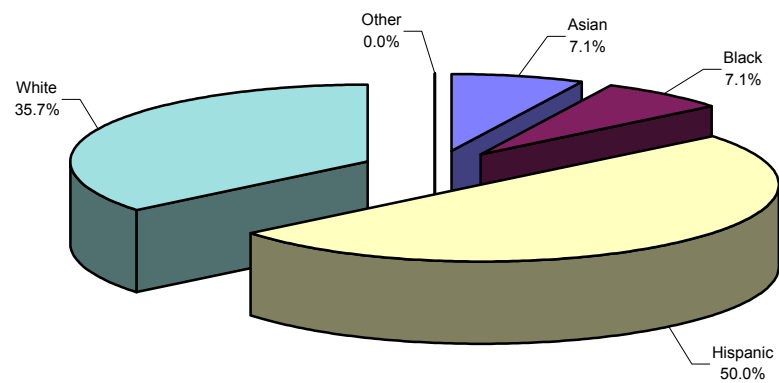
\*Statistics reflect traffic stops initiated by District and Patrol Support Division personnel

### ACTION TAKEN BY RACE

Description	Asian	Black	Hispanic	White	Other	TOTAL
Arrest	9	56	302	81	9	457
Citation Issued	1241	1889	8485	7093	807	19515
Citizen Assistance/ Courtesy	3	4	12	6		25
Field Interrogation Card	1	1	7	5		14
Warning Given	300	654	1526	933	82	3495

Of the 23,534 traffic stops, 23,506 scantrons/electronic reports were received where both the action taken and race indicator keys were properly marked.

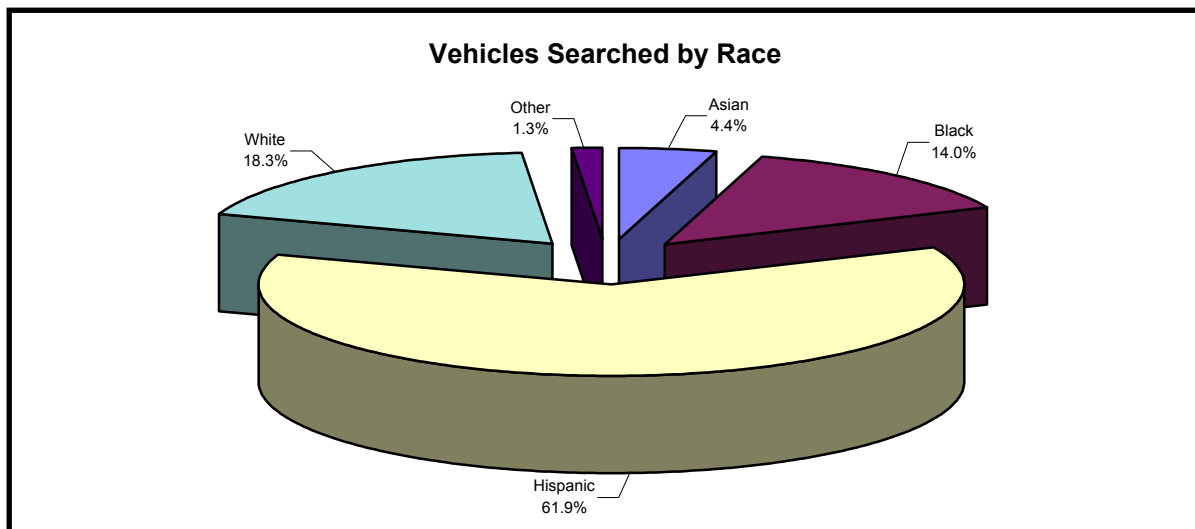


**Action Taken - Warning Given by Race****Action Taken - Citizen Assistance by Race****Action Taken - Field Interrogation Card**

### TRAFFIC STOPS WITH REASON FOR VEHICLE SEARCH BY RACE

Reason for Stop – Vehicle Searched	Asian	Black	Hispanic	White	Other	TOTAL
Courtesy Stop - Flagged by Citizen					1	1
Driver Wanted - Daily Crime Bulletin/ Warrant		2	1	1		4
DUI - Driving Under the Influence	3	5	38	11	1	58
Hazardous Moving Violation	33	94	542	115	12	796
Investigative Stop - Observed Criminal Activity	3	10	46	15		74
Non-Hazardous Moving Violation	37	130	465	168	10	810
Other Motor Vehicle Violation	3	14	105	39	3	164
Seat Belt Violation	4	6	22	7	1	40
Vehicle Equipment Violation	15	53	164	54	2	288

Of the 23,534 traffic stops, 2,235 scantrons/electronic reports were received indicating a vehicle was searched.



**\*9.5% of the 23,534 traffic stops resulted in a vehicle search**

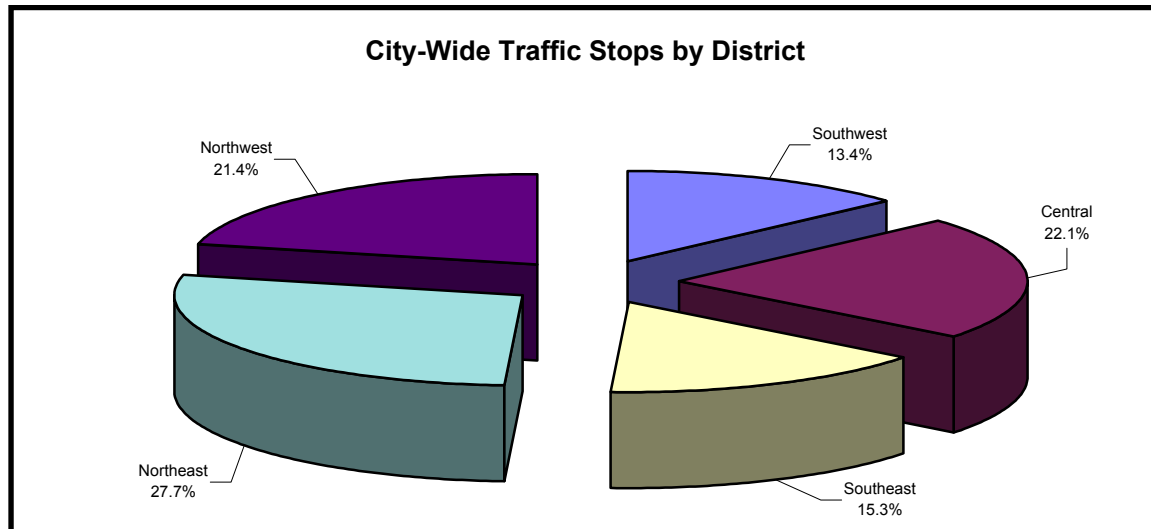
Order by Race:	Hispanic	-	61.9%
	White	-	18.3%
	Black	-	14.0%
	Asian	-	4.4%
	Other	-	1.3%



### CITY-WIDE TRAFFIC STOPS BY DISTRICT/RACE

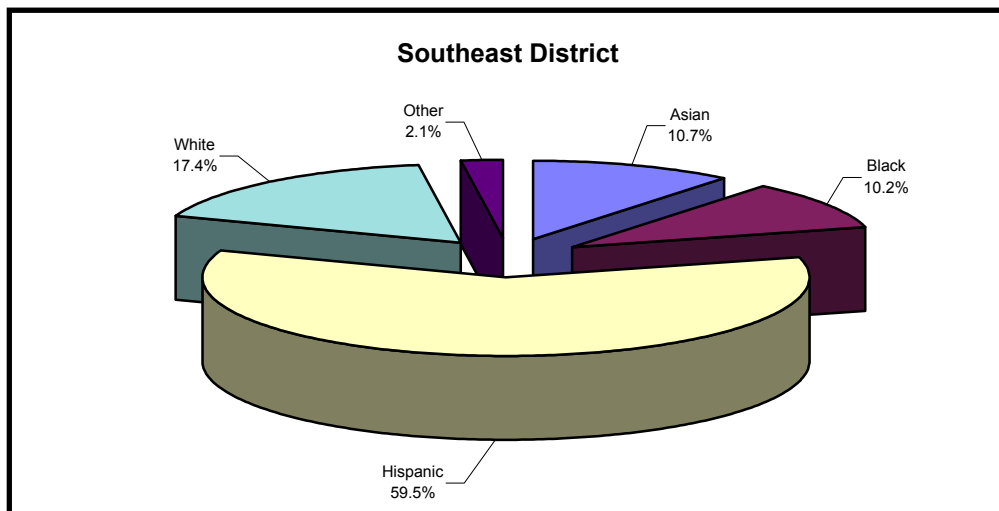
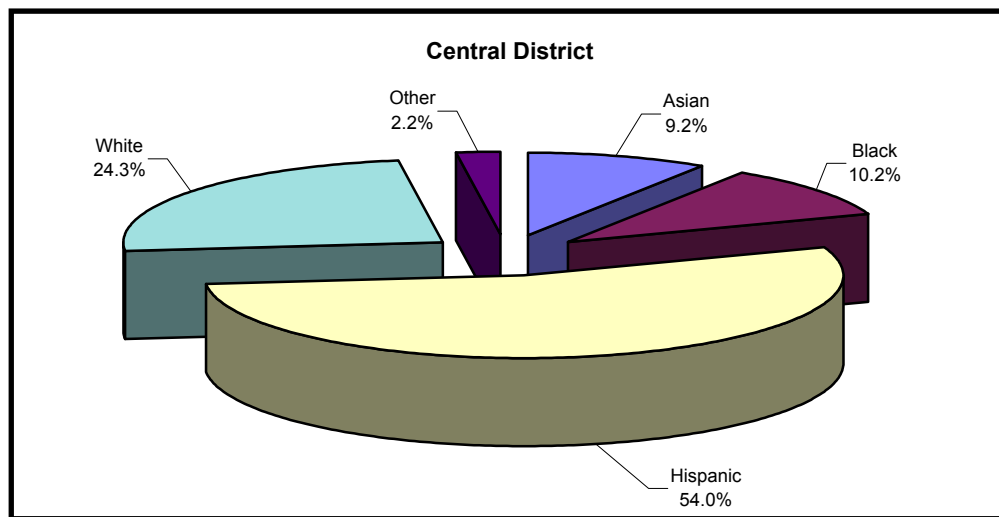
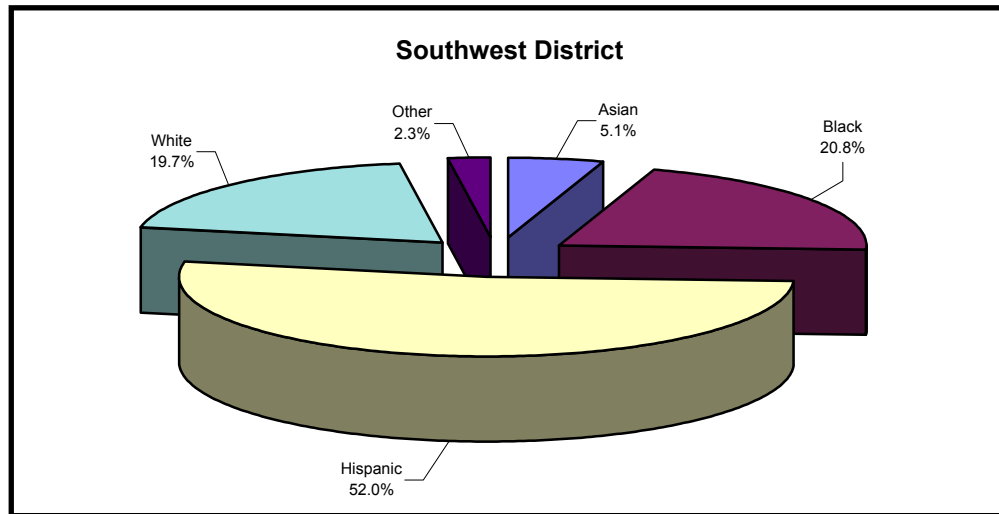
District	Asian	Black	Hispanic	White	Other	TOTAL
Southwest	157	643	1603	609	72	3084
Central	471	521	2749	1238	114	5093
Southeast	379	360	2099	614	75	3527
Northeast	324	516	1830	3366	340	6376
Northwest	176	509	1831	2133	270	4919

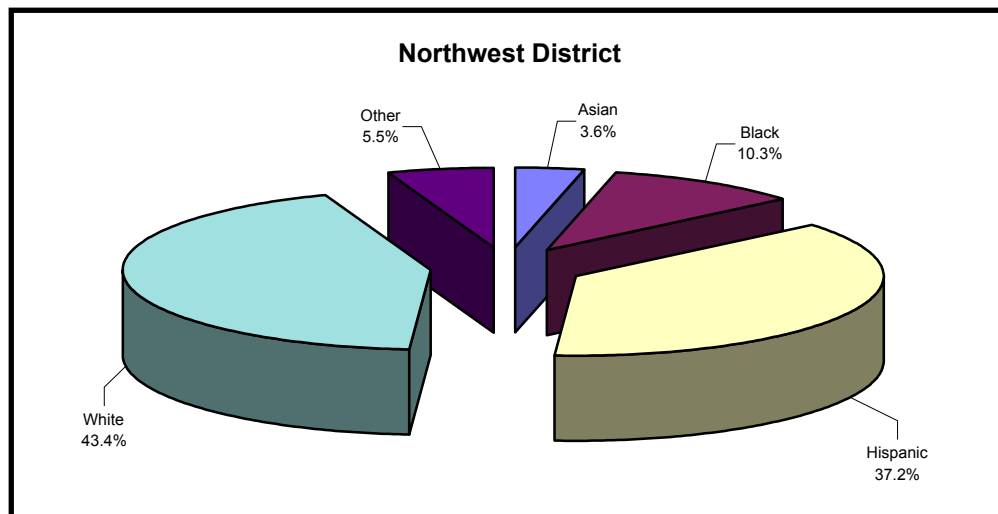
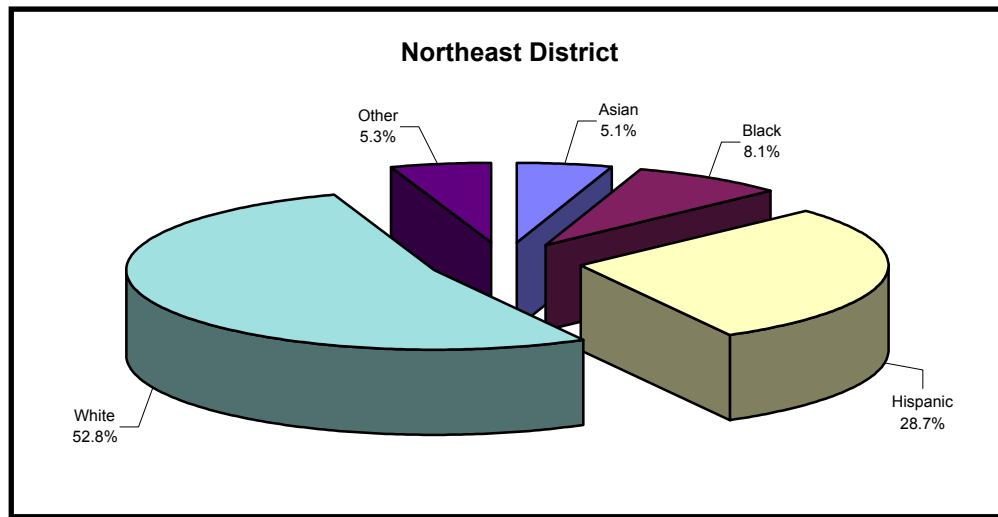
Of the 23,534 recorded traffic stops, there were only 22,999 where both the race indicator and district indicator keys were properly marked.



\*Statistics reflect traffic stops initiated by both District and Patrol Support Division personnel

Order by District:	Northeast	-	27.7%
	Central	-	22.1%
	Northwest	-	21.4%
	Southeast	-	15.3%
	Southwest	-	13.4%



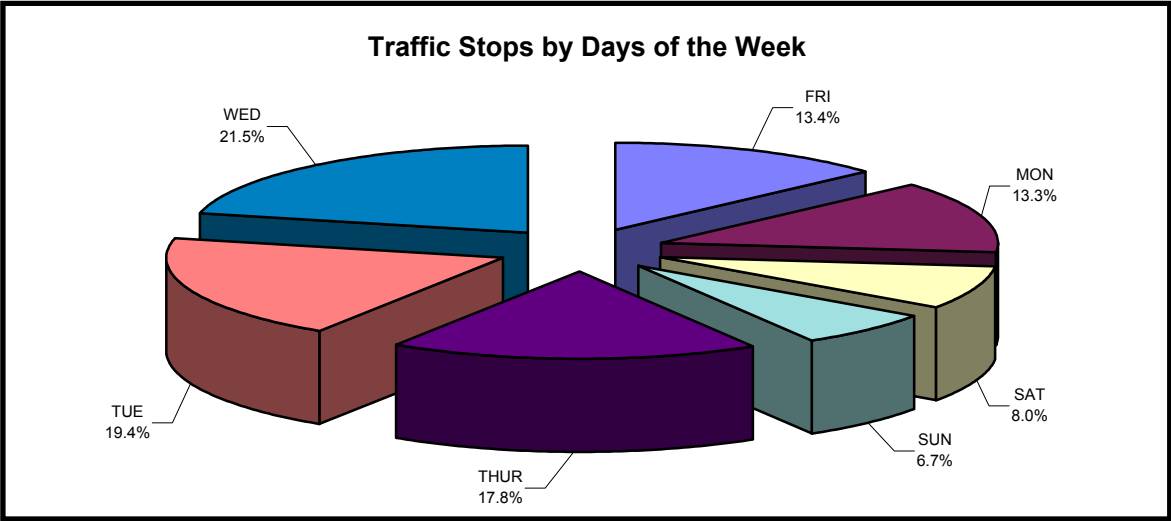


**TRAFFIC STOPS BY PATROL SUPPORT DIVISION**  
**Total 1530 Traffic Stops**

District	Asian	Black	Hispanic	White	Other	TOTAL
Southwest	15	132	111	36	5	299
Central	24	50	149	55	3	281
Southeast	49	44	125	30	3	251
Northeast	10	44	83	63	14	214
Northwest	9	96	193	178	9	485

\*Patrol Support Division consists of MAGEC, POP, Patrol TAC, Multi-Agency, K9, Juvenile TAC, and HEAT

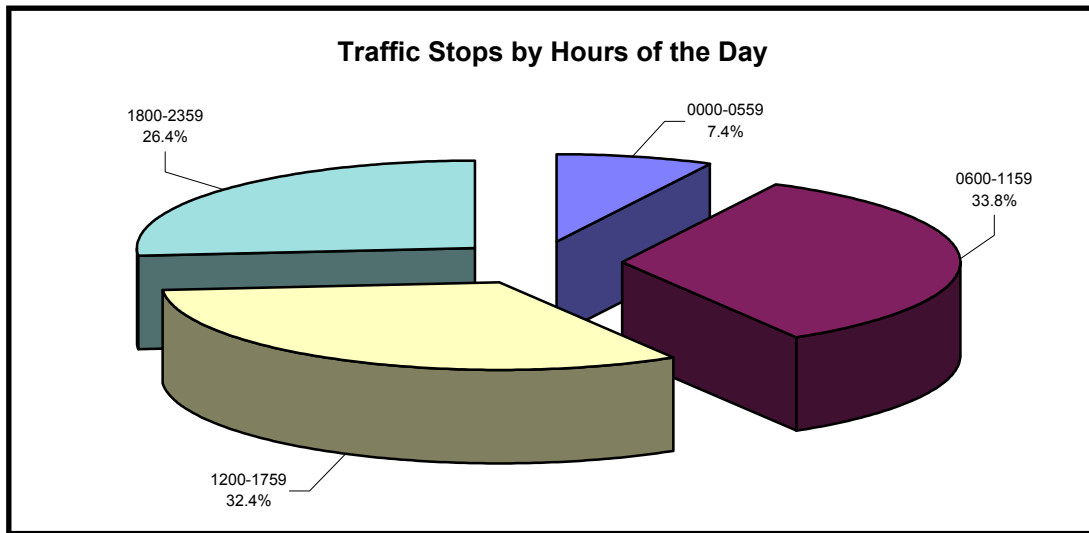
TRAFFIC STOPS BY DAYS OF THE WEEK CITY-WIDE



Order by Day of the Week:

Wednesday	-	21.5%
Tuesday	-	19.4%
Thursday	-	17.8%
Friday	-	13.4%
Monday	-	13.3%
Saturday	-	8.0%
Sunday	-	6.7%

## TRAFFIC STOPS BY HOUR OF THE DAY CITY-WIDE



Order by Hours of the Day:

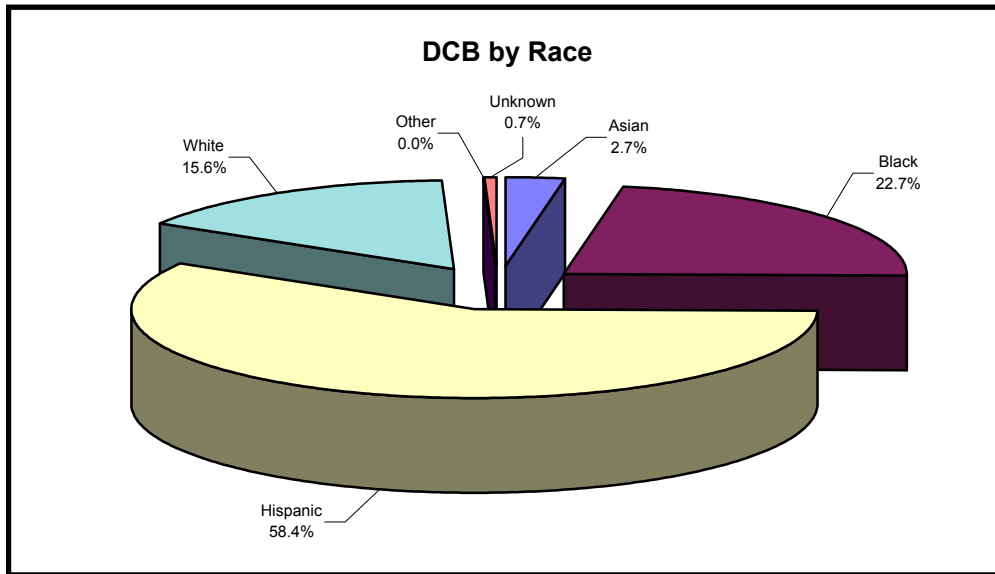
0600 to 1159 hrs	-	33.8%
1200 to 1759 hrs	-	32.4%
1800 to 2359 hrs	-	26.4%
0000 to 0559 hrs	-	7.4%

## TRAFFIC STOPS BY AGE AND RACE

Age Group	Asian	Black	Hispanic	White	Other	TOTAL
12-17	68	41	246	209	22	586
18-23	558	690	2926	1843	229	6246
24-29	277	507	2289	1338	165	4576
30-35	176	403	1648	1021	124	3372
36-41	121	306	1172	944	90	2633
42-47	91	248	869	927	113	2248
48-53	101	202	587	694	74	1658
54-59	71	92	314	477	41	995
60-65	34	71	158	306	18	587
66-71	23	29	76	151	12	291
72-77	19	8	35	114	6	182
78-83	10	4	12	65	2	93
84-89	5		1	23		29
90-95		1		3		4

Of the 23,534 traffic stops, 23,500 scantrons/electronic reports were received where both the age and race indicator keys were properly marked.

## DAILY CRIME BULLETIN (WANTED PERSONS) BY RACE LISTINGS – 449



Order by Race:	Black	-	22.7%
	Hispanic	-	58.4%
	White	-	15.6%
	Unknown	-	0.7%
	Asian	-	2.7%
	Other	-	0.0%

### Biased Based Profiling Citizen Complaints

1) On 5/2/2005 (complaint filed 7/8/2005), a citizen was driving in the area of Blackstone and San Jose when stopped by officers. Officers issued a citation for driving without a license and towed the citizen's vehicle. The driver later filed a complaint, alleging the traffic stop and subsequent tow was racially motivated. The complaint was referred to Internal Affairs.

2) On 7/19/2005, officers responded to a boyfriend/girlfriend dispute. Upon arrival, both parties were contacted and the issue resolved because no crime occurred. After the officers left, the boyfriend filed an electronic report on Department's website alleging the officers attempted to provoke him to fight. He believed the officers were looking for an excuse to arrest him solely based on his race. The complaint was referred to the officer's district commander.

3) On 8/14/2005, officers were dispatched to a business regarding suspicious subjects loitering in the parking lot. The clerk called to report the subjects entered the business and left without purchasing anything. Officers arrived and checked the subjects for warrants with negative results. The subjects were sent on their way. They later filed a complaint against the officers, stating the contact was racially motivated. The complaint was referred to the officer's district commander.